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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
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Biographical Note

Sarah Young was the niece of Brigham Young, of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter-day Saints. She was born on February 21, 1828. She married James Bovard in Ohio and they settled in Alpha, Indiana. They had twelve children, six of whom became Methodist ministers and served mainly in California. These sons were Marion McKinley (president of the University of Southern California), Freeman D. (vice president of the University of Southern California and editor of the California Christian Advocate), George Finley, (president of Southern California and leader of Grace Church, a leading church in Los Angeles), William Sherman (vice president of the University of Chattanooga), Charles Lincoln (Superintendent of the English speaking work of the Methodist Episcopal Church in New Mexico), and Melville Young (a missionary to Africa). She died on October 31, 1888 and is buried in Austin, Indiana.

Information found within the collection

"Bovard, Sarah Waldsmith Young". Web: Indiana, Find a Grave Index, 1800-2012. Retrieved 2013/09/03. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

Scope and Contents

This collection includes a typed diary from Sarah Bovard in Indiana ranging from 1859 to 1871 and a typed copy of *The Bovards of California and U.S.A.* and *Six Biographic Sketches by Reverend John Gabrielson of California*, undated.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged by subject.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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